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Library Development Division News

Mark Your Calendar!

- **March 2—Phoenix** Lifelong Learning Librarians Roundtable: Senior Fitness
- **March 2 & 3—Phoenix** What's New in Children's Books
- **March 5 & 6—Phoenix** Convocation
- **March 13—Phoenix** Kids' Stuff on the Internet
- **March 16—Phoenix** Brophy Information Commons Tour
- **March 30—Phoenix** Lifelong Learning Librarians Roundtable: An Optimist's Guide to Retirement
- **April 1—Phoenix** AZ Book Festival
- **April 13—Phoenix** Luke Air Force Library Tour
- **April 27—Phoenix** Lifelong Learning Librarians Roundtable: Caring for Yourself While Caring for Your Aging Parents
- **April 28—Phoenix** Friends Conference

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Continuing Education Events

Register at www.lib.az.us/eventreg for the following continuing education opportunities:

- **LSTA Funding @ Your Library**
February 3, 2006 from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. at the Copper Queen Library in Bisbee
A workshop that will take you through the LSTA grant process from ideas through planning and evaluation, this training is highly recommended for prospective applicants.

- **Teen Programs: Imitation is the Highest Form of Flattery**
February 7, 2006 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at Phoenix Public Library—Burton Barr
Interested in developing a strong foundation of library services for young adults? This workshop will focus on the developmental needs of teens and how your programming can meet them. Best practice methods for programming will be addressed as well as techniques for marketing, funding, and gaining community partnerships to help support your programming. This workshop will not only help you bring teens into the library, but also keep them coming back for more! Presented by Tricia Suellentrop.

- **Getting Teens Wired @ Your Library! Gaming and Technology Workshop**
February 7, 2006 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. at Phoenix Public Library—Burton Barr
Let the games begin! Whether you are interested in planning and carrying out library programming that will bring teens in the door, or are looking for collection development suggestions- this workshop is for you! Learn about the history and legitimacy of video games, how to build-up a video and computer game collection at your library, and effective ways to promote your programming with the use of computer games, video games, and other technologies. Traditional gaming programs for teens, including role playing games, will also be discussed. Presented by Michele Gorman.

- **Unravel the Mystery of Electronic Books**
February 14, 2006 from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. at Phoenix Public Library—Burton Barr
February 16, 2006 from 1:30 to 4:00 p.m. at Phoenix Public Library—Burton Barr
Phoenix Public librarians Nancy Morris and Louis Howley have been working with ebooks since 1999. Come hear them explain how to find emedia, how to use them, and how to assist the public and answer their questions. The emphasis will be on companies that provide emedia to libraries, including NetLibrary, Gale Virtual Reference Library, and OverDrive. This is a hands-on workshop in a computer lab.

- **Working with Passion**
February 21, 2006 from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. at Phoenix Public Library—Burton Barr
Join Michael Kroth in a workshop designed to help you to create passion for your work, and passionate work environments for your organization. Drawing upon his research and book, *Transforming Work: The Five Keys to Achieving Trust, Commitment, and Passion in the Workplace*, he will give you fundamental keys for finding meaning, joy, and nurturance in your work. You won't want to miss this opportunity to learn what can ignite the passion in your work, your organization, and your life.

Project Updates

- **E-rate cycle for 2006**
The window for filing Form 471 closes on February 16, 2006, 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time. A statewide Form 470 has been filed and contracts are posted at www.lib.az.us/erate under *State-wide contracts.*

- **2006 LSTA Grant Guidelines**
2006 LSTA Grant Guidelines may be viewed at www.lib.az.us/lsta/index.html. The deadline for submitting proposals is March 13, 2006.

- **Web Junction**
WebJunction, the one-stop site for learning how technology can enhance your services, has a new look. Visit our Arizona page at http://az.webjunction.org/do/Home. It's your place to share successes and challenges. Please send stories and pictures to mala@lib.az.us. The State Library's subscription pays for you to take classes at the Learning Center *at no cost!*

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